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Title: METHOD FOR SURFACE TREATMENT OF THE INTERIORS
OF ENGINE CYLINDER BORES, AND CYLINDERS MADE
BY SAID METHOD



**SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98**

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Sir:

This supplements the Information Disclosure Statements
submitted in the above-identified application on October 6, 1999
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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR
\$1.56, Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark
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PTO-1449 and which the Examiner may deem relevant to
patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

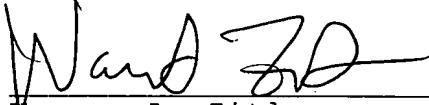
The references are product descriptions for so-called
cooling oil means which can be used for the present invention.
From these documents, it is clear that the material is always a
lubricant oil.

Reference AM is a product advertisement for a machine for waste management with a cooling mechanism. Reference AN is product information for an oil based material. Reference AO includes an English language abstract.

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